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Inventors: Jonathan Aaron WRIGHT, Christopher A. OTTOFor: MECHANISM FOR PROVIDING OCTET ALIGNMENT IN SERIAL ATM DATA STREAM**Please note the following:**Patent Application: 18 pages, 16 claims.1 sheet of drawings.The suggested drawing figure to be published is FIG. 2

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Citation Under 37 CFR 1.97 and PTO-1449.

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